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TAX COMPROMISE FAILS AND 2 BILLS WILL GO TO HOUSE

Collapse of Trade Overnight Puts Both Parties Back of Own Abatement Plans

TEST DUE IN TWO WEEKS

Democrats Would Apply 1941 Rates to 1942 Income and Adopt Withholding Levy

By JOHN H. CRIDER Special to The New York Times

WASHINGTON, April 21—The House will get another chance to vote on pay-as-you-go tax bills within the next two weeks as the paradoxical result of the inability of members of the Ways and Means Committee, who have tirelessly sought a compromise since last Friday, to reach an agreement.

WORLD FOOD SHIFTS IN MIND FOR PARLEY

Free Flow of Surpluses Is on Tentative Agenda Set for Hot Springs May 18

By JOHN MACGORMAC Special to The New York Times

WASHINGTON, April 21—The tentative agenda for the international food conference, scheduled to open May 18 at Hot Springs, Va., and the hopes of United States organizers call for worldwide regulation of the food supply of the globe in the interests primarily of human health, secondarily of economic stability and, finally, of peace.

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DEAR CALLS FOR VIGILANCE

A. N. P. A. Head Declares It Is Price of Liberty Against Government Restrictions

The test of Mr. Nelson's address is printed on Page 20.

Declaring that Adolf Hitler had made his "one great miscalculation" in failing to count on the ability of American industry to swing into war production as quickly as it has, Donald M. Nelson, chairman of the War Production Board, revealed yesterday that United States airplane production probably would reach the 7,000-a-month mark this month, or come close to it, and promised it would keep on growing until it was as large as needed.

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PRESIDENT AGHAST

He Says Civilized People Will Share Horror at Act of Japanese

DOOLITTLE FLIERS VICTIMS

Some of 8 Captured Men Slain as Bombers of Civilians—Congress Members Angry

Test of President's statement will be found on Page 4.

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